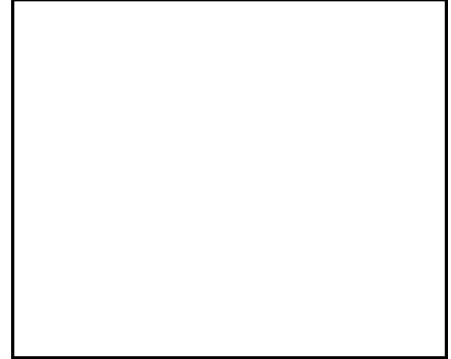


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Colonel Truman Smith



Dear Truman:

Many thanks for your letter of 19 July concerning the impending visit of Hans Speidel.

I had thought that I would try to have a dinner for Speidel while he was in Washington but find that his evenings are all filled during his stay here, so I am discarding the idea. However, I also learned from the German Embassy that he had requested an appointment with me so I will be seeing him on Tuesday, August 9th, in my office.

With best wishes.

Faithfully,

SIGNED

Allen W. Dulles  
Director

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P.S. I shall be telephoning you. A. W. D.

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